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Nominations

The official nomination of candidates to contest the Banff-Cochrane Electoral Division for the forthcoming election to be held on Tuesday next August 8th, took place on Saturday.

The three nominations received are as follows:

FRANK LAUT, Independent
A. L. WELBY, Social Credit
REV. A. D. MACGREGOR, C.O.F.

The polls will be open on Tuesday, August 8th, at 9 o'clock a.m. and remain open until 6 o'clock in the evening, except in cities where the polls will not close until 7 o'clock.

Frank Laut, Independent had a majority of 1063 in the 1940 election.

PEACHES AND PLUMS UNDER MAXIMUM

Peaches will sell under the maximum retail price of \$2.50 per 18-pound case, and plums under the maximum retail price of \$2.15 per 15-pound case on all Alberta markets on and after August 7. Thomas Hawkins, regional food officer, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, announced in Edmonton. Maximum prices of pears, under recent board order, establishing maximum prices of pears, plums and pears, will be effective August 14.

Peaches are lower in price than they were a year ago. Plums and pears will remain at the same price levels of last year. The regulation applies to both imported and domestic fruit.

Frank Laut, Independent candidate held a meeting at Springbank on Tuesday night. The Balmace meeting to have been held on Monday had to be postponed owing to impassable roads.

Laut will speak at Water Valley on Saturday, August 5th.

The Crossfield baseball club took second money at the Beiseker Sports Day tournament on Wednesday. They won from Beiseker with Big Fred Uffman, the one famous Dutchman on the mound for Beiseker. The contest went 12 innings. In the final game they were defeated by Currie Barracks of Calgary.

Keep in mind the provincial softball play-off in Crossfield on Sunday next, August 6 when the locals take on Currie Barracks in a double header. Games to be played at the Exhibition grounds at 2:30 and 6:30. Come out and give the local boys a boost; they deserve your support.

The Village is getting lots of publicity these days through the bad state of the highway from Calgary to Crossfield, due to repair work and recent heavy rains. There was a time and even know there was such a place but things are different now for we are getting publicity on the radio.

A severe hail storm passed over town Saturday evening doing considerable damage to crops and gardens. The storm came up from the west and continued its course of destruction east. The severity of the storm was felt worst just north of town crops being damaged from 10 to 100 per cent. The town itself seemed to be on the thin edge of the storm.

Local News

Set, and Mrs. Williams and daughter are spending the week in Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. George Murdoch spent a few days at Sylvan Lake this week.

Gerald and Helen Hurl and Barry Jones are spending a vacation at Gull Lake.

Mrs. Sifton, Mrs. Tredaway and Mrs. A. L. WELBY, Social Credit

Word was received Tuesday of the death of Louis Overy at Vancouver. No particulars are yet on hand.

George Becker of Black Diamond, was a visitor here this week, spending a few days with his family.

Larry Ontkes of Calgary is on holidays and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ontkes.

Bill Walker met with a painful accident on Wednesday morning, burning both hands and arm when gasoline he was using ignited.

Mrs. H. Stewart, Mrs. George Murdoch and Mrs. Alice Weir and children of Olds are holidaying at Sylvan Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Richards have purchased the Peterson house on Norton Street recently owned by the Boughs. They moved in on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wallock and son Raymond of Three Hills were visitors here between trains recently en route to Banff.

L.A.C. Ted Mayhew stationed at Medicine Hat, a member of the R.C.A.F., was a visitor here over the week-end the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Belshaw.

Mrs. Fred Baker is leaving for Vancouver Friday where she will attend the wedding of her son Arthur on the 12th of the present month.

Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Currie are leaving this week for Pine Lake, accompanied by six girl members of the Olds Junior Girls Auxiliary.

Mrs. Alfred Harnock received a telegram Wednesday evening stating that Mrs. Bertha Klondike, one of her favorite aunts had passed away.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brooks and family of Calgary were the guests last evening of Mr. and Mrs. D. Hall. Bill is in the Navy and is stationed on the east coast.

The local Air Cadets left town on Monday evening's train for Macleod where they will spend two days in camp. C.O. Adams is in charge of the local squadron.

Wm. Laut, International dealer, has been a busy man this week, setting up three combines which have been sold to Bill Marley, Levi Smith and Sam Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Jones of Drumheller were visitors here over the week-end, returning Sunday evening accompanied by Mrs. A. Edlund who will be their guest for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Tredaway expected to leave for Victoria by the 1st of the month, but, Tom just couldn't resist the excitement of an election and it will be the 12th before they get away.

Mrs. Frank Mossop and Mrs. Earl Devins were Calgary visitors on Monday where they met Miss Kate Mossop who was en route East from Vancouver. Elsie has enlisted in the Wrens.

While anything can happen the boys along the main stem are betting that Frank Laut will be re-elected. One of the play jockeys in the district bet the C.O.F. candidate would lose his deposit.

Mrs. Alfred Harnock and her three boys visited Banff over the week-end and while there met their old neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Coffin and had a good visit with them. Old man Harnock stayed at home this trip and did the chores.

Birthday greetings are extended to the following: George Harnock celebrates his 19th birthday on Sunday, August 6th; Mrs. Ernie Sharp, Aug. 6th; Rev. A. D. Currie, Aug. 10th; Miss Ruth Currie, Aug. 11th.

Stoker Fred Hayward who has been off duty for some time, left town at the week-end. Fred has not enjoyed the best of health since joining the Navy and thought at one time he was liable to get his discharge, however, he was called back again for a further examination.

Clayton High came into town Tuesday with a coyote on the front of his car. Mr. coyote had one of Clayton's chickens in his mouth and was shot when in the act of devouring same. It must have had a previous adventure with a trap as it was minus one of its front paws.

NOMINATING CONVENTION FOR BOW RIVER

Nominating Convention of Bow River Progressive Conservative Association will be held in the Skating Rink Hall, Irricana, at 2 p.m. Friday, Aug. 11th, 1944 to choose a candidate to support Mr. John Bracken in the Federal House. All supporters of Mr. Bracken—irrespective of party—are heartily welcome. Mr. Bracken will be present and deliver an address. The election of officers for the ensuing year will also take place at this meeting.

James Oneil, Pioneer Died in Calgary

James Rouse Oneil, 61, Big Prairie, Alberta, died Monday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Allan Whitlow, 830 2nd Avenue West, Calgary.

Born in Harriestville, Ontario, he came to Crossfield 41 years ago, where he farmed for 25 years, later moving in the lumber business at Big Prairie for the past few years.

Mr. Oneil was a member of the Oldtimers' Association at Crossfield.

Surviving are his wife, Mary Ellen, Big Prairie; four sons, Pte. Cornelius Joseph overseas; Sgt. Francis Robert, stationed at Mewata Barracks, Calgary; Hilliard Ray and James Patrick, both of Big Prairie; seven daughters, Mrs. William Aldred, Mrs. James Aldred, both of Crossfield; Mrs. Allan Whitlow, Mrs. James P. Macdonald, both of Calgary; Mrs. Duncan Young.

—ance and Doris, all of Big Prairie; four brothers, Claret, Kenneth John, both of Crossfield; Hilary, M. Winship; Ivan, Creston, B.C.; three sisters, Mrs. Frank Ruddy, Mrs. C. J. Lawrence, Powell River, B. C.; Mrs. F. R. Snell, Montreal, and 11 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted in Crossfield United church Thursday at 2 p.m. with Rev. J. Rex Brown officiating. Interment in the family plot of the Crossfield cemetery. Pallbearers were: A. L. McLauch, Ed. Meyers, Frank Ruddy, Fred Adams, Bert Lilley, and 11 grandchildren.

McInnis & Holloway were in charge of funeral arrangements.

Canadian News Briefs

Montreal Tramway employees are expected to go out on strike to-night (Wednesday).

Quebec taxi drivers, most of whom own their own cabs, have quit work because they were not granted an increase of rates by the Wartime Prices Board.

3000 shipyard workers in Halifax are on strike because the company has declined to comply with an order of the War Labor Board.

1,000 mine workers at Stellarton, N.S., are out on strike.

383 candidates are nominated Tuesday for 91 seats in the Quebec general election to be held the same day as the Alberta contest, Tuesday, August 8.

The bill granting family allowances passed its third reading in the House of Commons on Tuesday evening without a division, and now goes to the Senate.

Natural gas in large quantities has been discovered near Unity, Sask.

STORM HITS CALGARY

Loaded with dust, a cyclonic wind roared through Calgary at a peak velocity of 80 to 85 miles per hour on Saturday afternoon and left in its wake a trail of smashed trees, damaged roofs, broken electric wires and disrupted lighting services.

Following the wind, an inch-and-a-half rain drenched the city up to 6 a.m. Sunday, and another half inch fell during the day.

Softball Play-off In Crossfield Sunday

The Provincial softball play-off softball games to have been played in Crossfield last Sunday were rained out, but will be staged Sunday, August 6th at the exhibition grounds when the local club strengthened with the addition of Christian players will meet Calgary Currie Barracks Club in a double header with games at 2:30 and 6:30. Jean and Harry have a strong club and they have an even chance to knock over the big shots from Cowtown. Bring your born and don't forget the collection.

Capitalism Runs In Vicious Circles, Says Dr. Gutkind

Capitalism runs in a "vicious circle" and carries within itself the seeds of its own destruction, Dr. Eric B. Gutkind, of New York, told the Prairie School for Social Advancement at Saskatoon on July 18.

There are three vicious circles, he said. Striving for abundance, capitalism created scarcity. Technology, originated to free man, created slavery. The more science developed, the more people became afraid of it and wanted to return to nature.

The only way to get out of the vicious circles is to attack them at several points at once.

Capitalism created best in an economy of scarcity and waste, he said. It functioned best in wartime and when peace came it could not last long.

5 BUSHEL QUOTAS SET FOR NEW CROP YEAR

The Canadian Wheat Board has announced that the delivery quotas for the new crop year which began on Monday, August 1, will be five bushels per acre for wheat, oats and barley. Apparently the reason for the low figure is the shortage of cars to move grain to the head of the lakes. There is ample room in country elevators.

MORE CANNED VEGETABLES ASSURED

Simplified distribution of canned vegetables to assure a greater supply for Canadian consumers is regulated through a new order of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

Priority claimants' such as armed services and Red Cross, prisoners-of-war parcels, are protected through provision of the order.

Preferred users, including "hospital, logging and mining camps, are also protected for. Beyond the requirements of these two groups of users, the remainder of the pack will be available for the civilian market with a minimum of restrictions. Board officials explained.

WINNER OF V.C. BACK IN ITALY

With the Canadian Corps in Italy. —Major Paul Triquet, V.C., is back in Italy as reinforcement officer for his old unit, the Royal 22nd Regiment of Quebec.

CHURCH SERVICES

CROSSFIELD UNITED CHURCH
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Farmers planning to buy imported repair parts for farm machinery at reduced prices—due to the budget removal of import duties and sales tax—will not realize this price difference until after September 31.



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The Weather

THERE IS A WELL-KNOWN SAYING to the effect that everyone talks about the weather but no one does anything about it. It is true that no means have ever been discovered for regulating the weather, and it remains a constant hazard to the undertakings of men and nations. The people of Western Canada know too well the important part which weather plays in the production of crops and they know that, in many instances, it alone determines whether we are to have good or bad crops. Many farmers have seen their crops, the results of months of labour, destroyed in a few minutes by the elements. The people of the West also know the ravages of drought, when prolonged lack of moisture changed the whole aspect of life in many prairie districts.

Has Effect On World Events

The weather can change the course of events for nations as well as for individuals, and it is always an important consideration in the carrying out of naval, military, and air operations. The successful evacuation of the British forces from Dunkirk could not have been accomplished had the weather been unfavourable. Four years later, the weather again determined, to a large extent, the success of the Allied landings in France on "D" Day, for it is considered to be the factor next in importance to enemy resistance, in amphibious warfare. General Eisenhower has become famous for his "weather luck", since the Allied landings in North Africa, Sicily and Italy were all aided by favourable weather conditions. Subsequently, it has been reported, that abnormal moisture in France during the early summer considerably retarded the speed of the Allied advance.

Forecasts An Aid To Flying

Weather is also a factor of paramount importance in aviation, and this is one field in which its effects, to some degree, can be controlled. In recent years, the staff of this bureau has been increased to more than ten times its original size in the last seven years, and it is expected that the need for these expanded facilities will continue in the post-war period, when many of the main air routes of the world will be in the skies over the Dominion and the weather here will be a matter of widespread interest.

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WHOLESALE RECREATION

"Teen Clubs" are popping up all over the Canadian neighborhood as an answer to the demand for wholesome community recreational resorts. They are the counterpart of the "teen-age night clubs" which are being organized widely in the United States.

Young people themselves are taking the initiative, and in a number of instances, church halls or basements have offered accommodation for these "juvenile hangouts".

Teen Clubs are intended to overcome the situation of "Saturday night and no place to go"—except the less acceptable places. The clubs offer opportunities for chatter and jive, being equipped with gramophones or even juke boxes. The more advanced clubs go in for handicrafts, amateur drama, hobbies, photography and other interests. One of the largest and most successful in Canada is operated in association with a suburban church in Winnipeg. Adult supervision of an unobtrusive kind is offered until closing time at midnight.

A COSTLY PROJECT

Costliest engineering project in the world from the economic standpoint probably was a bridge built for a railroad in Australia. Only one train has passed over it in 55 years, although it cost \$100,000. Authorities decided on another route, avoiding the bridge, after this initial run.

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Lard Surplus

Nearly Ten Million Pounds Have Been Shipped To Russia

Shipments of nearly 10,000,000 pounds of Canadian lard have been made to Russia, relieving a surplus situation which had developed in the Dominion, it was learned.

The supplies are being forwarded under mutual aid arrangements, it was understood.

Officials said that early this year the accumulation of lard supplies—a reflection of the heavy marketings of livestock—had posted a major problem.

On March 1, 1943, total lard holdings were 2,300,000 pounds. On Jan. 1 this had increased to 5,500,000 pounds, and then the total rose to 9,800,000 pounds on Feb. 1 and 15,800,000 on March 1.

Authorities sought export outlets for lard supplies but by April 11 the total was reported at more than 19,000,000 pounds.

Since then exports to Russia and limited shipments elsewhere have reduced the total "substantially", officials said.

The main reason for export shipments could not be given immediately for security reasons.

The accumulation of a lard surplus caused anxiety because the storage space was urgently required for other purposes and there was fear a decline in lard values might result in a weakening of hog prices.

Flying Bomb Inventor

Austrian Professor Said To Be The Man Who Had The Idea

The man mainly responsible for the development of the "robot bomb" is an Austrian professor, Herman Oberth, inconspicuous except for a small moustache.

Now in his 50's, Oberth was once the sound-and-spectacle-effects man in charge of the use of fireworks and explosives for UFA films. Reportedly an anti-Nazi at one time, he has been working on flying bombs and rocket machines for the past seven years, under special orders from Hitler and Goering.

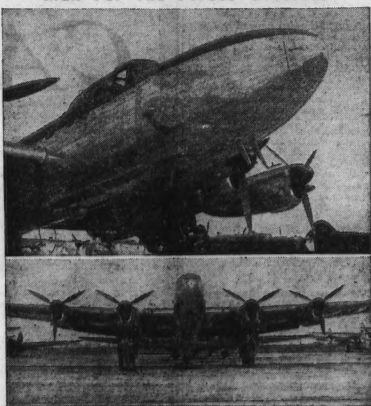
Two years before the war, Oberth called on Gen. Kesselring with a mass of blueprints and models. Kesselring, after some tests, submitted a report to Goering, with the result that Oberth was given the run of the Wehrmacht's scientific laboratories and a special panel of Nazi research workers, radio men, aeronautical engineers and inventors were put at his disposal as consultants. Shortly thereafter European scientific circles began to hear of new experiments in the Oberth catapult-plane technique.—Newweek Magazine.

MUSEUM RESTORED

The Florentine halls in the Palazzo Venezia, where popes once walked and which Mussolini in 1927 commanded for personal use as a "private office" including the famed balcony overlooking the Venetian Square, have been restored to their former function as a section of the Museum of Italian Renaissance Art.

Egypt had beauty salons as far back as 3,200 B.C.

Mail For The Forces Overseas



In Normandy, in Italy, wherever they may be, Canadian forces overseas get mail from home quicker because of the big Lancaster transports operated by Trans-Canada Airlines in the Canadian Government's trans-Atlantic service. And from the front mail comes quicker to the folk at home.

More than 50,000,000 letters have been carried in 95 crossings of the Atlantic—less than a year's operation. With four aircraft in service, three round trips are now made each

Canadian Bacon

Heavy Purchases Are Made For Shipments To Britain

Canadian Meat Board purchases of bacon for the United Kingdom to July 1 totalled 464,000,000 pounds, although the total minimum commitment for the calendar year is only 500,000,000 pounds, it was learned.

The United Kingdom is taking all the bacon which can be made available by Canada. Under a two-year agreement Canada agreed to supply a minimum of 900,000,000 pounds in the years 1944 and 1945, but assured that every effort would be made to provide additional quantities.

Because of the enormous deliveries of hogs to market in every province, it now appears possible that the minimum requirements of the two years may be met in one, which would mean the purchase of 900,000,000 pounds of bacon for the United Kingdom in 1944.

"As things stand it looks very much as though we will be able to buy 800,000,000 pounds at least," one authority said.

Canadian bacon production to the end of 1943 had been described as "startling", but officials said it now appeared certain that even better records would be made in shipments this year.

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An All-Round Shooter

Army Photographer Handled Machine Gun As Well As Camera

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That was an interesting story which came out of Italy, regarding the Army photographer who captured 19 Nazis. Allied troops were making contact with French forces driving up below Valmontone. The photographer was on the spot to get hot pictures, when he ran across the Nazis in a house along the highway. He killed two with a machine gun and captured the other 18.

It is not said whether he took their pictures; but if he can "shoot" with a camera as well as he shoots with a machine gun, he probably did both jobs in the same four of duty.

What Might Happen

Scientists Say That The Sun May Explode Like Other Astral Bodies

Here's something else for chronic worriers to worry about. The American Astronomical Society has received from Dr. D. B. McLaughlin, computations to show what would happen if the sun became a nova. (Any star may become a nova by exploding, and such explosions are fairly frequent.) According to Dr. McLaughlin, if the sun exploded it would shine about 100,000 times more brightly than usual for about ten days. This would create so much heat that the earth's surface would boil and rocks would turn to liquid and vapor. Optimists will be glad to note, however, that this would affect rocks only to a depth of about seven miles.—Brantford Expositor.

A failure to launch the promised retaliation, the Schwarze Korps adds, would have been catastrophic for the Nazi regime would "have lost a good share of its standing—above all among its own people." Despite the success claimed for the weapon, the paper lays the groundwork for possible later disillusionment and warns against being influenced by those "to whom success won't be swift enough and the results insufficiently impressive."

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Story Of A Glider

Got Turned Around And Went In The Wrong Direction

One of the amusing incidents of D-Day was staged on the station of Group Captain "Jamie" Rankine, D.S.O. and Bar, D.F.C. and Bar, the famous Battle of Britain pilot.

A big glider, filled with troops, was being towed across France, in mid-Channel and in pitch darkness the tow rope broke.

The glider, involuntarily, made what is known as a "reciprocal turn", and continued under its own impetus. Soon it crossed the English coast again and made a neat landing.

What followed was told to me by an R.A.F. Flying Control sergeant who had dashed out to the runway to investigate.

"Before I could reach the glider out sprang several excited men, faces blackened, armed to the teeth and pointing their Tommy guns at me. They completely surrounded me, yelling 'Achtung! Achtung! You (so-and-so)!' at the top of their voices."

"And where the hell do you think you are?" I yelled back.

"Blimey, mates!" said one of them, this bloke speaks English as well as I do. What part of France is this, chum?"—London Express.

Big Achievement

Hitler's Pledge For Retaliation Against The Allies

A big achievement of the German flying bomb offensive has been that it has saved the Nazi regime—at least temporarily—from an internal crisis of the utmost gravity, according to reports from Germany.

The situation is frankly stated in the latest issue of Das Schwarze Korps, mouthpiece of the Elite Corps.

In an article discussing aspects of internal morale during months of waiting for fulfillment of Hitler's pledge of retaliation for Allied destruction of German cities, the publication declares this pledge involved for the Nazis "a question of prestige and a test of strength of the highest order."

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Fashions In Songs

Those Germany Marched To Are Now Out Of Date

In 1940 the Germans had a marching song. It was "We March Against England." But that song grew a bit out of date.

So they brought out a new one called "Die Wacht Am Kanal" (The Watch on the Channel).

Now since the Allies have been kicking around the beaches of Cherbourg into the gears of the German war machine, the Germans will have to change their tune again.

A revival of "The Watch on the Rhine" might be more appropriate—but not for long.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

AMBITION

No bird soars too high if he soars with his own wings.—William Blake

He that resolves upon any great and good end, has, by that very resolution, scaled the chief barrier to it.—Tryon Edwards.

We want an aim that can never grow vile, and which cannot disappoint our hope. There is but one such on earth, and it is that of being like God.—S. Brooke.

The very truth of the gospel is aspiration. It is to the heart what spring is to the earth, making every root, and bud, and bough desire to be more.—H. W. Beecher.

What grander ambition is there than to maintain in yourselves what Jesus loved, and to know that your example, more than words, makes morals for mankind!—Mary Baker Eddy.

Resolve to be thyself; and know, that he Who finds himself, loses his misery.—Matthew Arnold.

Chapter Of Horrors

Huns Massacre Many Women And Children In Reprisal

Cold-blooded massacres of virtually the entire populations of the Greek village of Distomo and the French village of Oradour sur Glane, and burning of both towns by vengeance-mad German soldiers were reported in the accounts reaching New York.

The Greek puppet government announced the Distomo slaughter, in which 1,000 persons died, saying it occurred on June 10, the second anniversary of the massacre and destruction of Lidice in Czechoslovakia.

The story of the French village, 12 miles northwest of Limoges in Central France, came from the BBC, which said 1,100 out of a population of 1,200 were slain.

The Greek puppet communique, a copy of which was received recently in Izmir (Smyrna), Turkey, said the populace was shot and the town burned in reprisal for the deaths of 30 German soldiers in a fight with Greek Eam and Andarts guerrillas the previous day.

At Lidice, which the Germans themselves announced was destroyed in reprisal for the assassination of Reinhard Heydrich, "protector" of Bohemia-Moravia, the men were killed and the women and children carried away.

But at Distomo, according to information received among Greeks in Izmir, men, women and babies were slaughtered impersonally.

This account said that after the guerrilla battle on June 9, German SS (Elite Guard) troops on the afternoon of June 10 surrounded Distomo, herded all inhabitants into the public square, and there machine-gunned them.

Then, the account said, German troopers walked among the massed corpses, firing pistol bullets into the head of every body that twitched, and tramping the life out of any infants who had been shielded by the mothers' bodies. Then they burned the village down over its dead.

Representatives of the Red Cross were not allowed near the spot until June 14, the report said, and then they found only a few half-mad children who had hidden in the woods.

The BBC account of the French village, recorded in New York by CBS, said:

"The Germans demanded the surrender of patriots who had killed four German soldiers, and when there was no response, prepared to kill 50 hostages."

"The patriots replied with another attack on Germans, who destroyed the entire village."

"People who took refuge in the village church were locked in and burned alive. Only 100 of the 1,200 inhabitants remain alive in the ruins of the town."

Funerary services were held for the victims in the cathedral at Limoges, it said, and there city police found several bombs which were believed to have been planted by the Vichy militia.

Date and other circumstances of the French massacre were not given, but the funeral was said to have occurred June 22.

POPULATION COUNTS

The Sault Daily Star says: The statement is frequently made that Soviet Russia has done a better job than Canada in developing the north. It is probably correct and the Dominion could learn much from Soviet accomplishments in that regard. But in making the comparison it should also be remembered that the Soviet Union is a nation of 180,000,000 people as against Canada's 12,000,000.

Although its civilization goes back 4,000 years, China is one of the youngest republics in the world.

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PRESERVE BEAVERS

Stocking The Waters Tributary To James Bay

Beavers, to be used for breeding purposes in waters tributary to James Bay, are being trapped in the preserves of nearby Algonquin Park, the work being a joint project of the Federal Department of Lands and Forests and the Ontario Department of Game and Fisheries and Lands and Forests.

Hugh Conn, Dominion fur supervisor, is in charge of the work which is being done by four Indian trappers from Moosemen, at the mouth of the Moose River on James Bay. The Indians are headed by John Fletcher, chief of that district's Cree.

Initial shipments of trapped beavers are being sent to the Kees-gami beaver and fur preserve near Hannah Bay. This once prosperous trapping territory had become almost denuded of its prize fur-beavers.

Well To Remember

Prayer Of Sir Francis Drake Applies To Present Time

One doesn't think of Sir Francis Drake as a praying man. The doughty old admiral has been damned as a pirate or worse who apply 20th century rules of the sea to a 16th century privateer—who operated in the tradition followed by our own John Paul Jones as late as the 18th century.

But a picturesque soldier of our own time has reminded us that the picturesque sailor of Elizabeth's day was pretty good at praying as well as fighting. In a broadcast to the British and American forces under his command in Normandy, Gen. Montgomery said:

"I cannot do better than conclude this message by quoting a favorite prayer of Sir Francis Drake: 'O Lord God, when Thou givest to Thy servants to endeavor any great matter, grant us also to know that it is not the beginning but the continuing of the same until it be thoroughly finished which yieldeth the true glory!'"

"Let us fight on to victory in the spirit of that prayer."

In these days of premature exulting, civilians as well as soldiers may well memorize Drake's prayer.—Buffalo Courier-Express.

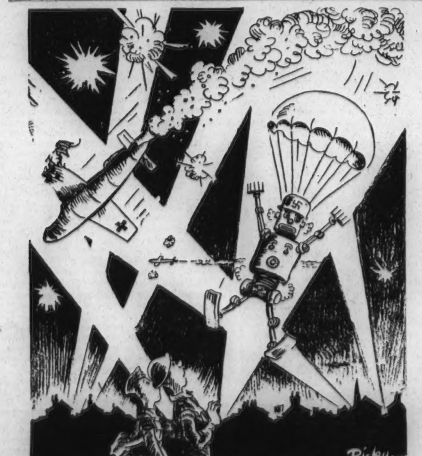
Indian Question

Gandhi Announces Readiness To Help The Allied War Effort

Mohandas K. Gandhi has pledged not to renew his campaign of civil disobedience during the war and instead has promised to help the Allied war effort, and envisaged a nationalist government of India under a British Viceroy.

His statement, in which he fore-saw the Viceroy as being guided by "responsible ministers," outlined what was interpreted as a formula for settlement of the political impasse between Britain and India, but it failed to elicit any general approval from either side.

Apparently modifying his well-known "quit India" resolution of September, 1932, Gandhi's statement represented a distinct retreat from the position he had held. However, he qualified his promise respecting civil disobedience with: "Unless there was a very grave reason, as for instance the threatening of India's natural rights of freedom."



"HEY, CHUM, DID THEY TELL YOU WHAT HAPPENED TO HESS?" This is the third in a series of invasion cartoons by Flying Officer H. Rickard, attached to the R.C.A.F. Public Relations unit overseas. Known to thousands of airmen as "Ricky," through the hundreds of clever cartoons he has drawn for them during the war years, P.O. Rickard makes his bow to the Canadian public with this series.—R.C.A.F. Cartoon.

What The Well Dressed Russian Officer Wears



Russia has presented to the Canadian Army a complete Russian winter uniform, such as is worn on the Russian front. It will soon be displayed in a Tri-Service Exhibit in Ottawa. Here Brigadier W. Mavor, M.C., Deputy Master General of Ordnance, accepts the gift from Col. N. I. Zabolot, military attaché to the Legation of the United States of Soviet Russia. With them is Mr. Ivan I. Krotov, Commercial Attaché at the Russian Legation. In picture at right, despite the Ottawa temperature, Col. G. W. Cavey, M.C., M.M., Director of General Stores for Ordnance Services, poses in the Russian uniform complete with akis.—Canadian Army photo.

Brain Was Tired

Child Prodigy When Grown Up Did Not Want To Think

William James Sidis, 46, who as a child prodigy astonished Harvard professors with his original theories on the fourth dimension, died an unsuccessful clerk, whose last job included one at \$15 a week running an adding machine.

Sidis buried himself for the past 25 years in a series of office clerk jobs, of which he asked only that he not be "required to think."

Guided by the psychologist father, Dr. Boris Sidis, he completed grammar school in six months—he finished three grades in his first morning at school—and won a college degree cum laude, from Harvard when he was 16.

Sidis' father had written a book advising parents to begin teaching a child to think when he was a baby, and not to fear overtaking him.

Only one published writing came from Sidis' once fertile mind. It was a 300-page book, published in 1927—a treatise on collecting trolley car transfers as a hobby.

FOUND HIS GLASSES

This one sounds like a post-war dream! Mrs. Fred Bartel of Rush Center, Kansas, reports that after she ran the family wash through the electric washing machine, including three trips through the wringer her husband found his glasses in the pocket of a pair of overalls that had been in the family laundry.

The glasses, not in a case, were "unhurt and unbroken, even to a place which had been cemented."

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.—Toronto Star.

A Little Mixed

But The Idea About The Birds Of Prey Is Good

"We doubt," said the Toronto Globe and Mail, "that any of the High Command of Hitler's Reichswehr has a love for, or even interest in, birds. Anyhow, if Field Marshal Rommel or Field Marshal von Keitel keeps any bird as a pet, we would expect it to be some bird of prey. . . . Indeed the only appropriate feathered pet for the headquarters of the Reichswehr would be a condor, the scavenger vulture which lives by picking the flesh off the bones of the Hindu dead when they are exposed, according to traditional ritual, on platforms near Buddhist temples."

Now there is a multiple-howling of top flight! In the first place, the condor is South American, not Asiatic. In the second, it is the Paraceta, not the Hindu, who place their dead on the Towers of Silence. In the third, these towers have nothing whatever to do with the Buddhist temples, which are places sacred to another religion again.—Brantford Expositor.

T.B. Prevention

Is Much Better Than The Cost Of Treatment

The average cost of a case of tuberculosis which incapacitates a male wage-earner has been estimated to be around \$5,400 and for a woman wage-earner \$5,000. This estimate, made by Dr. G. C. Brink, director of the division of tuberculosis prevention in the Ontario Department of Public Health, includes loss of wages, clinic service and hospital care. It would cost very much less to prevent tuberculosis, and the saving would be not only in life and money, but also in human happiness.—Toronto Star.

Channel Tunnel

Wisdom Of British Government Against This Plan Has Been Proven

It was nearly 20 years ago this month that Premier Ramsay MacDonald informed the British House of Commons that his Government had decided against the construction of a tunnel under the English Channel because the advantages of such a project were not commensurate with its disadvantages from a defence point of view. In the light of France's collapse, the wisdom of the MacDonald Government is proved.—Hamilton Spectator.

USING DUTCH IDEA

Britain's Navy has adopted for its undersea craft the air-conditioning system used for years on Netherlands submarines, according to the Information Bureau. The Dutch originally devised this system for subs assigned to tropical duty.

AGE MUST BE RIGHT

Sea lions must be captured at exactly the right age if they are to be trained. If taken before learning to swim, they die in captivity, and if caught after the age of six months, they are difficult to train.

Era Of Peace

Russia Hopes To Improve Standard Of Living For Her People

Russia is looking forward to an era of peace to be devoted to raising the living standard of her people. Eric Johnston said in Washington, Johnston, just back from a visit to the Soviet Union, is president of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

Asked what the volume of post-war trade with Russia might be, Johnston said it would be limited only by the amount of credits.

He said that after the war Russia would need particularly mining machinery, industrial machinery, railway equipment of all kinds, hydro-electric equipment, trucks, ships and machinery for making consumer goods.

From Russia, Johnston said, the United States could import copper, manganese, tungsten, cobalt, platinum, timber and perhaps some agricultural products which this country does not grow.

The Gulf Stream

Starts From The Gulf Of Mexico And Flows Slowly Towards North-West Europe

The Gulf Stream, which has such a big effect on the climate of Europe, starts its journey eastward from the Gulf of Mexico at a deep current 30 miles wide and passes the coast of Florida with a speed of about three and a half miles an hour and a temperature of 81 degrees Fahrenheit.

Off the south-east coast of Newfoundland it mingles with the Labrador current and broadens out considerably. As the Gulf Stream drifts and gradually losing speed and temperature, it flows slowly toward north-west Europe.

The waters that pass by Britain are moving at a rate of only 300 feet an hour and they have a temperature of about 40 degrees.

They have taken between five and six months to do the whole journey.

Use For Dandelions

Leaves Are Tasty And Medicinal And Contain Four Vitamins

Research is discovering the latent values of many wild plants formerly known as weeds. Take for example the dandelion. While they are still not recommended as an addition to any stretch of velvet, carpet-like green lawn, they are a valuable source of vitamins A and B, which help to prevent infections of the eyes, sinuses and lungs and offer protection against nerve diseases. The slender green leaves provide both greens and salad. They are tasty and medicinal and also contain vitamins C and G in a lesser degree. These guard against teeth defects and malnutrition.—Brantford Sun.

RUSSIAN TREATMENT

Fear of incurring Hitler's wrath has outweighed the prospect of captivity among German commanders and is one of the reasons why the Red Army had been able to capture 19 generals in 20 days, according to reports reaching Moscow. The Russians are scrupulously observing the conditions for imprisoned officers.

IN THE NILE VALLEY

The density of population, some 15,000,000 in the Nile valley in Egypt, is greater than in any country in Europe.

MERCHANT SEAMEN

In Relation To Total Numbers Have Suffered Greatest Losses

The extent of the Allies' victory over the submarine, the mine and the bomber is now measurable in a highly gratifying manner. In the first third of last year, losses of American merchant sailors alone averaged 300 a month. In the last two-thirds of the year losses were reduced to 50 a month and are believed to have been even lower in 1944 to date.

Nevertheless, the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. finds that civilian seamen, in relation to their total numbers, have suffered greater losses than any of the combat branches for which break-down figures are available. The deck of a freighter or a tanker has been one of the hottest spots of the war. Up to March 24, 1944, the U.S. had lost 5,565 merchant seamen—700 killed, 4,300 missing and 565 prisoners. The probable whereabouts of a merchant sailor reported "missing" are all too obvious.

The Americans have lost seven times as many merchant sailors in this war as they lost in the First World War. Great Britain lost 26,309 men other than prisoners up to September 1, 1943. Her total loss of merchant seamen slain in the First World War was 14,300.

There are no available figures for Russia, Germany, Italy or Japan, but all have lost a great many men. The Japs, having lost a third of their merchant ships, must have suffered the heaviest proportional loss of merchant seamen of any belligerent power. It is believed that 4,000 Greek sailors have lost their lives, 2,500 Norwegians and over 1,000 Danes. Neutrality means little on blue water, for more than 850 Swede sailors have perished.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Awarded Medals

Prairie Men Honored For Part In U-Boat Fight

Canada's anti-U-boat fleet was honored when Navy Minister Macdonald announced award of six medals and 18 mentions in despatches. No citation were given.

The decorated men served with a group of Canadian ships that trailed a German submarine, blew it to the surface, sank it with shillies and then took a number of prisoners. The British destroyer Icarus aided in the action.

The veteran Canadian corvette Chilliwack, which played the major role in the fight, had the largest representation—six names—in the list. Her commanding officer, Lt. Cmdr. C. R. Coughlin, Montreal and Ottawa, won the Distinguished Service Cross while Engine Room Artificer A. Longbottom, Moose Jaw, Sask., won a Distinguished Service Medal.

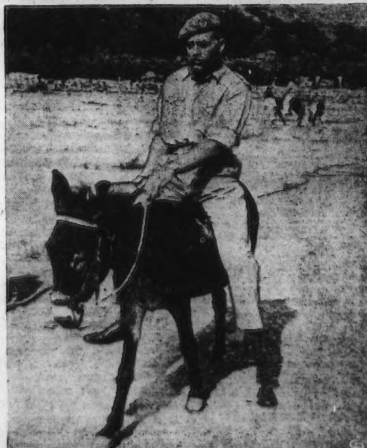
The crew of another expert U-boat hunter, the frigate St. Catharines, won four honors.

AB. F. D. Craig, Kamack, Sask., brought a D.S.M. honor to the destroyer Galtineau.

WOMAN BLACKSMITH

As her wartime effort, Mrs. L. Gould holds down a man's blacksmithing job in the Canadian National Railways motive power shops at Stratford. She is reported to be the only woman blacksmith in Canada.

Gen. Vokes Up On "Man Of War"



Maj.-Gen. Chris Vokes of Ottawa, mounts "Man of War" for the senior officers novelty race at a Canadian army field meet in Italy, but the mule was inclined to take things easy. The team didn't win.

Food Rationing In Britain Is Taken As A Matter Of Course Although Restrictions Are Severe

NEXT time you crack the shell of your piping hot, pale brown, three-minute egg, just let your mind flip across the water to England where, if they are lucky, they get two eggs a month. Or when you are having a rich sudsy bath with your favorite bathsoap, think for a moment about the people in the British Isles who have to choose between three ounces of toilet soap or household soap a week.

And then, maybe, you will decide that your name can come off the long lists of those who either come time to grumble about rationing in Canada, or commit the worse crime of buying in the black market.

Practically everything in Britain is rationed. We have restrictions, true, but few countries today have such adequate supplies and generous rations. In Britain, for instance, sugar has been rationed at half a pound a week—the same ration as we have, except that we have always been able to get extra rations for preserving—the extras in Britain are very small these days. We have jams and jellies on our rationed list now but they've been rationed over there for a long time. The jam ration is half-pound a week. Since this spring the sugar and jam rations have been interchangeable at the rate of half a pound of sugar for one pound of jam. This means that a person can get three-quarters of a pound of sugar a week, but no jam; or a pound and a half of jam if he goes without sugar.

Of bacon and ham, the British people get four ounces a week, and of butter and margarine, they are allowed six ounces, the fly in the ointment being that not more than two of these coveted six ounces may be butter.

People in Britain have become more nutrition conscious during these war years and the Ministry of Food has done everything possible to help the housewife make her slim rations go as far and look as appealing as possible. Special distribution schemes have been set up to ensure every child a daily allowance of milk, fruit juices and even cod liver oil. The children have first claim on fresh eggs and oranges too.

As for Mr. Householder, well, such a thing as buying even one gallon of gas for his car is unknown, and has been unknown for years. There is simply no pleasure driving, and thousands upon thousands of cars are either jacked up for the duration or have been taken over by the military for purposes of war.

And yet the average Britisher doesn't complain about these restrictions to his mode of life. He accepts them as a part of the whole fight against the Nazis, and knows that he will have to put up with them not only until the day of Victory, but until the trade lines of the world are opened again.

Smart Jiffy Knit



By Alice Brooks

Jiffy knit these two smart bags that will mark you as a well-dressed woman. They're done in heavy upholstery cord. Cord used for smart jiffy knits. Pattern 7129 contains directions for two bags; stitches; list of materials needed.

To obtain this pattern send twenty cents in coin (stamps cannot be accepted) to Household Arts Department, Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 170 McDermott Avenue E., Winnipeg, Man. Be sure to write plainly your Name, Address and Pattern Number. "Because of the slowness of the mail delivery of our patterns may take a few days longer than usual."

PIGMY ELEPHANT

A new species of elephant was discovered in New York City. A tiny African elephant brought to New York from the French Congo in 1905 was found to be a true pigmy, a species until then unknown.

An Old Calendar

Now Is The Time Egyptians Celebrate Their New Year

Although we celebrate the New Year in mid-winter, mankind has not always done so, according to Egyptologists of the Royal Ontario Museum. About 5,000 years ago the Egyptians invented a calendar which began on a day corresponding to our July 19th. Their years had 365 days, divided into 12 months of 30 days, with 5 extra festival days at the end of the year. They had three seasons of four months each: inundation, winter, and summer. Their New Year's Day, called the "opening of the year," was the first day of the first month of inundation.

The endless fertility of the Nile Valley was caused by the annual flooding of the river, which gave water and rich fertilizing deposits to the fields. The Egyptians' choice of a New Year's Day was therefore a compelling one. Unfortunately, since they had no leap year, their year slipped back a day every four years, and in the course of centuries the "opening of the year" occurred at less appropriate times.

Like many modern peoples, the ancient Egyptians gave New Year's gifts. The Royal Ontario Museum possesses three dainty flasks of glazed ware manufactured especially for this purpose. One of them bears the inscription "May the god Ptah and the goddess Sekhmet open a happy year for its lord."

In Record Time

Super-Factory Was Built In Scotland In Four Months

Near a Scottish city, according to a British information bulletin, an 8,000 foot super-factory has been built in four months. Before the war an undertaking such as this one would have taken nine to twelve months. Two weeks after the site was settled, the final scheme was approved and the contract was let a month later. Consulting engineers were called in at the preliminary stages, the consultant staff working alongside the architectural staff. Bulk orders were placed with suppliers as soon as the contract was let and in order that the work should run smoothly, an organization including architects engineers and surveyors was set up on the site from the start of the construction. Due to this idea queries were settled promptly and efficiently and it also resulted in an excellent team spirit between the contractors and technical staff. So that work should not be stopped during rainy periods, an ingenious invention of tubular scaffold frames with tarpaulin sheets was erected—and the work went on uninterrupted.—Niagara Falls Review.

For British Forces

Canadians Handle Purifying System For Water Supply In France

Three Canadian assault sappers run one of the water points in the British Canadian area in France which supplies hundreds of gallons of drinking water daily for the troops.

Any unit, British or Canadian, is welcome to send its water truck to this important roadside station where water is pumped from a small stream, filtered and purified and then stored in big canvas tanks from which it is piped to the calling trucks.

The Canadians in charge, all members of an assault engineer company, came ashore on D-day and are Spt. Norman Brown of Trenton, Ont., Spt. Allan Eichel of St. Joseph's Island, Ont., and Spt. James Curran of Saint John, N.B.

The job isn't a permanent one. Every couple of days new crews take over. Usually they are, as these three men are, chaps who have been in forward duty laying mines and their little spell in the water bus near gives them a sort of rest.

HONORABLE OCCUPATION

Agriculture for an honorable and high-minded man is the best of all occupations or arts by which men procure the means of living.—Zeno-phon.

Parents Of Major J. K. Mahony



Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mahony, 313 Fifth Street, New Westminster, B.C., are the proud parents of Major John Keefe Mahony, of the Westminster Regiment who has been awarded the Victoria Cross for his heroism in leading his company to establish and maintain against terrific odds a bridgehead across the River Melfa, Italy, on May 24, last. In a recent letter to his mother he asked "What did the family do on May 24? It was a busy day for me and one I shan't forget in a hurry."

New Discovery

Developments In Cloth Textures Have Been Announced

The Monsanto Chemical Company of St. Louis, said that shinelike, wrinkle-proof suits, non-wet creases and other similar developments are possible because of newly discovered techniques of treating either the surface or the heart of fibres without in any way changing the feel or texture of the material. Monsanto says this is made possible by a deposit of submicroscopic grains of sand or silica which prevents the fibres from slipping out of the positions into which they were knitted.

Flag For The King

Duke Of Wellington Presents A Small Silken Flag

The King received the Duke of Wellington in audience in the historic Waterloo Chamber of Windsor Castle on the 19th anniversary of the Battle of Waterloo.

The Duke presented to the King a small silken Union Jack as his annual rent for the estate of Stratfield Saye, in Berkshire, which was presented to the Iron Duke after his victories.—Trans-Atlantic Daily Mail.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

DRIVING THE LAST SPIKE



Re-enactment of the driving of the last spike, which not only completed the Canadian Pacific Railway trackage from coast to coast, but also Canada's infant Confederation with a bond of steel, took place at Revelstoke, B.C., on Dominion Day this year. Upper left, Col. Edward Malandaine, who fifty-nine years ago

squeezed his way into the official picture and stood directly behind Donald A. Smith (later Lord Strathcona) who drove the spike, congratulates Louis Davis, 14, son of a machinist in the C.P.R. shops, who took his place in this year's ceremony. Right: W. A. Mather, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway's Western Lines, pins the

Radiophones Are Expected To Have Immense Possibilities For The Public After The War

THE railroads are experimenting with radiophones to facilitate communication between the engineer and the crew in the caboose of a mile-long freight train. Even if railway managers decide that hand and lantern signalling are not to be abandoned, there is no doubt that the radio-telephone is here to stay and that it will play its part in industrial and home life.

No battle is fought without it. In the air the pilots of bombers communicate with tanks on the ground to co-ordinate an attack, and patrols in advanced posts have their "walkie-talkies" to inform commanding officers what may be of importance and to receive orders.

These advances we must attribute to the miraculous electron tubes which have been shrinking to thumbnail size yet growing in power as the result of wartime research. Today a satchel will hold most of the apparatus required to talk over a distance of a few miles.

When the war ends, these compact instruments will be used on corporation farms that cover thousands of acres. Men on tractors or threshers in the field will talk at any time to the central office. The old bell that once summoned hands for dinner may be doomed even on smaller farms.

Like the captains of ships at sea, the drivers of long-distance motor trucks will no longer be cut off from the world when they are on the road. If, as it is predicted, traffic on the highways increases in density after the war beyond anything that we have known, it is possible that every car will have to carry a radio loud-speaker so that the driver may be properly called down by some policeman in a traffic tower when the speed limit is exceeded or there is some other infraction of the law.

When Marconi was still an obscure inventor who was sending and receiving telegraph signals over a mile or two, there were dreams of such possibilities. The more imaginative engineers were even then predicting that before long we would be talking from London to somebody in the

Andes and that we would be carrying in our pockets the necessary apparatus to communicate with our homes even when we were miles away.

The dreams have almost become realities in this war. Decades have been telescoped into years. And the end is not yet. Gone is the old isolation. Even campers in far-distant primitive forests now tune in on the news and music broadcast from distant cities. Soon they will be talking to Jesse and Jimmie at home.—New York Times.

Railway Man Retires

C. W. Johnston Completes Fifty Years' Service With Canadian National

Completing a service that extended over half a century, Cecil W. Johnston, general passenger traffic manager of the Canadian National Railways, was retired under the pension laws of the company this month. It was announced by Alastair Fraser, vice-president.

Mr. Johnston, one of the best-known traffic men on the continent, has seen railway service in three wars. In his early days he took part in the movement of troops to the Boer War. He had a busy time in the first world war with the handling of Canadian troops to and from overseas. He was a member of the Canadian Railway War Board Transport Committee. The Grand Trunk, he recalls, "handled more than a million and a quarter in that time, without a single mishap, a record of which we were all very proud. When the wounded soldiers began to return from overseas, we handled them through Portland, Maine, and I personally supervised the handling of 90 per cent. of all hospital cases, and saw to the arrangements for every party of wounded men which travelled over Grand Trunk lines to their homes in Canada."

Under his jurisdiction, the Canadian National has moved thousands of troops in the second world war and Mr. Johnston has had the satisfaction of playing a salient part in the making of another proud record.

Because of his experience in the Canadian war effort, he was elected a member of the advisory committee on passenger transport of the Office of Defence Transportation, Washington, and, also, an adviser on passenger matters to the Transport Controller for Canada.

Mr. Johnston was born into railroading. His father, F. A. Johnston, was engineer on a Grand Trunk passenger run between Richmond, Que., Montreal and Quebec, and was honored at a civic and railroad demonstration at Richmond when he retired after 33 years' service. Born at Actonville, Que., on July 27, 1879, C. W. Johnston began railroading when he was 15, in the operating department of the Grand Trunk, during his summer holidays. Since then he has worked himself up in the different departments till 1930, when he was promoted to general passenger traffic manager of the Canadian National Railways.

Mr. Johnston's name among his friends a large number of prominent railroad and business executives in both Canada and the United States. During his period of service has accompanied many important personages while on visits to Canada, including members of the Royal family, distinguished statesmen and officers of the supreme command of the last great war. He is chairman of the executive committee of the Canadian Passenger Association and a past president of the Montreal Traffic Club.

The Hottentots of South Africa are an individual race whose origin archaeologists have been unable to trace.

Japan's earthquake zone seldom passes a day without feeling two or three slight tremors.

GERMANS FEAR RUSSIAN COSSACKS

Germans Afraid Great Fighting Men Will Enter The Reich

Russian war reports frequently make reference to the Cossacks, happy rough riding warriors—the nemesis of their enemies, the Nazis. A Cossack on horseback is a most dangerous combination of warlike human dynamo and desperate beast, writes Hyman Horowitz, in the Cleveland Plain Dealer. This combination knows neither fear nor mercy, recognizes no obstacles in its way, emerges from all impossible places, penetrates all inconceivable passages and inflicts unusual punishment on its adversary. When you read of Russian raids—things or dead Nazis after a battle, you may take it that the Cossacks have contributed their part, possibly the most vital part, to the slaughter.

There is more than just rumor in reports that the Germans would gladly settle for an occupation of their land by the Americans and British whom they consider "softies". They more than dread an invasion by the Russians with Cossacks in the show. They had just a taste of it in World War I when the Russians occupied a portion of East Prussia. But that was mere child play compared with what may be expected when the Cossacks descend on Germany with burning desire in their hearts to square accounts for their tortured and massacred Russians and devastation of their land at the hand of the Nazis.

I saw the Cossacks and heard a great deal about them. I saw them in my childhood on their visits to my home town in western Russia, just inside the border of the much discussed Curzon Line. I had some occasion to observe them on their way to action in the last war. I had brought the decadent czarist regime's downfall.

Children were frightened at the mention of Cossacks and adults were not too happy to meet them. They were the privileged caste of warriors who look many things and are granted. They fought their way through revolutions and uprisings, writing some of the bloodiest chapters in history on the fields of the Ukraine and Poland in the 16th and 17th centuries. They settled in about 10 provinces of the country with a measure of autonomy, but were obliged to deliver skilled warriors in return. Compulsory military service extended for 20 years, beginning at the age of 18.

You and I have given considerable thought to the miracle of Russia in this war. Attacked and invaded by the most ruthless enemy with the mightiest war machine in history, Russia was given three to six weeks before being crushed, as have been many other European countries by the Nazis. Yet Russia fought valiantly, retreating for 17 months, taking terrible punishment, exacting a high price from the enemy until she countered with a Stalingrad where Nazi might began to crumble.

To be sure, Russia was also prepared with a war machine. She had tanks and guns and planes and received many more from the Allies. But in the last analysis, it is a clash between human beings and their respective abilities to fight with determination and endurance. One of the factors contributing to the Russian success unquestionably is the Cossack. When the tank gives out and the gun is broken, the Nazi is helplessly defeated. The Cossack on horseback is still fighting.

You and I have been wondering what can or will be done to shake out the mania of war-making from the system of the Germans. The Allied treatment prescribed in Versailles after the last war certainly turned out to be ineffective, probably too mild. The Cossack, when he enters Germany, may administer much more effective medicine. Whether we like this treatment or not, this may help us to stop the plague that for generations has made life miserable on our planet and, at this moment, still threatens with trouble and misery our future.

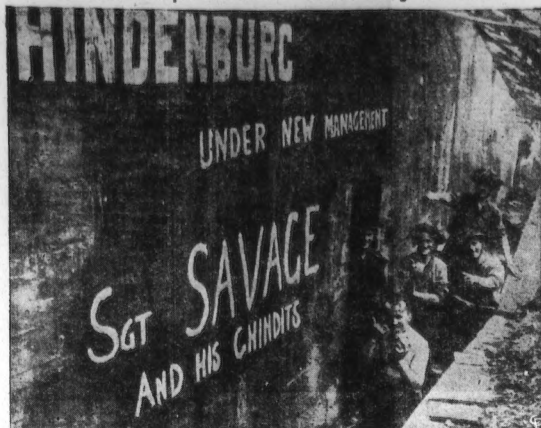
WHEAT SHIPPED TO U.S.

Of the quota of wheat allotted to Canada for entry into the United States during the 12 months commencing May 29, 1944, namely 800,000 bushels, 795,000 bushels were filled by June 1. The quota does not affect or limit importations of Canadian wheat into the United States when ordered by the U.S. War Food Administration.

ON EXHIBITION

The Moroccan wife, clad in her most gorgeous costumes, must sit alone in her husband's house for seven days after their marriage, and any woman may come in from the street and look at her.

British Troops Decorate "Hindenburg Bastion"



Here British troops paint signs which speak for themselves on the concrete wall of a German stronghold in Normandy. This "Hindenburg Bastion" was taken after fierce fighting.

Mixing Whitewash

Recipe For Making Rainproof Whitewash Or For Inside Use

For the finishing touch there is nothing more effective or inexpensive than whitewash on basements and boundaries, fences, borders, garages, and other outbuildings in the line of vision. Persons are often deterred from using whitewash on buildings out of doors through fear of spoiling by rain, and there are many who do not care to use whitewash indoors because they consider it messy, one reason being that they do not really know how to mix the ingredients properly.

For several years, the Dominion Experimental Farms have recommended two recipes, one for a rainproof, the other for a disinfectant whitewash, both originated by the Experimental Station at Scott, Sask. The waterproof whitewash for outdoor buildings is made up in the following proportions: slake 62 pounds of quick lime in 12 gallons of hot water, and add two pounds of salt and one pound of sulphate of zinc dissolved in two gallons of water. To this add two gallons of skim-milk. An ounce of alum improves this wash but it is not essential. If the whitewash is required for metal surfaces subject to rust, the salt should be omitted.

The recipe recommended for the disinfectant whitewash is as follows: dissolve 50 pounds of lime in eight gallons of boiling water. To this add six gallons of hot water in which ten pounds of salt and one pound of alum have been dissolved. A can of lye is added to every 25 gallons of the mixture. A pound of cement to every three gallons is gradually added and stirred thoroughly. The alum prevents the lime from rubbing off, the cement makes a creamy mixture easy to apply, and the lye is added as a disinfectant. A quart of creosol disinfectant to every eight gallons would serve the same purpose as the lye, but if a pure white wash is desired, the lye is preferable.

If a real snowy whiteness to whitewash is desired it can be obtained by adding a very small quantity of washing blue.

Elephants like onions as much as they do peanuts.

More Atrocities

Russians Say Fascist Murderers Will Have To Pay For Crimes

The Nazis killed and tortured 120,000 persons in Minsk, including "peaceful citizens", war prisoners and tens of thousands of Jews sent from Hamburg to the Minsk ghetto, Prime Minister M. P. Ponomarenko of the White Russian Soviet Republic charged in an article in Izvestia reported by the Moscow correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph.

Ponomarenko said the Germans destroyed 55,000 persons in Gomel and 35,000 in Bobruisk, and left no one alive in the town of Zhlobin. When Bobruisk was captured by the Red Army, he said, the German garrison chief, Maj-Gen. Haman, was taken.

The Russians also captured an order of the day issued by Haman, Ponomarenko said, ordering the "covering up and burning of corpses and other traces of shooting of political prisoners, Jews, prisoners of war and civilians."

"The Fascist murderers," he wrote, "won't hide traces of their crimes. White Russians won't forget and won't forgive. The Hitlerites will answer for all."

Drying Penicillin

New Radio Process Is Used To Speed Up Production

Penicillin production has been speeded up by 24 hours time through a cooking-by-radio process that has replaced a free-drying method.

According to Radio Corp. of America, which has perfected the new system, heat generated by radio currents now can accomplish in 30 minutes what it took a freeze-dryer 24 hours. The electronic method of drying the infection-killing drug is also far cheaper, it was said.

Dehydration is vital to penicillin production as a bulk reducer. After penicillin is grown and purified, approximately 90 per cent. of the water is removed, increasing the potency of the drug from 40,000 units a cubic centimeter to 100,000 units. Freeze-drying still will be used to powder the drug in ampoules or vials for shipment.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

Pork To Britain

Will Likely Fill Two-Year Contract This Year

Agriculture Minister J. G. Gardiner said at Ottawa that it is possible that Canada will have shipped all most 1,000,000,000 pounds of pork to Britain by the end of this year, thus filling both her 1944 and 1945 minimum contracts in the space of one year.

He said it was likely that the Dominion has already filled her 1944 minimum requirement of 500,000,000 pounds, the latest reports showing that 95 per cent. had been sent. "The big end of hog deliveries is usually in the fall," he continued, adding that, if that were the case this year, "it is probable that we will fill our two years contract this year."

The minister expressed belief that Canada will be able to send Britain the same amount of pork next year, thus making the total Canadian shipment of pork to the United Kingdom in two years approximately 2,000,000,000 pounds, twice the minimum required.

Gardiner pointed out that this will bring much higher returns to the farmer, and remarked that there are now on Canadian farms three times as many hogs as there were at the beginning of the war. He said that the farmers of Canada should be congratulated for their magnificent contribution to the war effort by this increase in production.

COMMON CHICKWEED

Common chickweed in spite of its flat appearance is a very hardy and persistent weed. Not originally native to Canada, it is to be found in all parts of the Dominion where the soil is moist and rich. The seed is small and is frequently found in clover and timothy. Under laboratory tests, many samples, particularly of timothy, are rejected on account of the prevalence of chickweed seed.

TROOPS WELL SUPPLIED

In one week in the final stage of the advance of the British Eighth Army in North Africa, 3,000,000 gallons of gasoline and 8,000 tons of ammunition were delivered at the front.

CANADIAN FARM WOMEN PRAISED

Know How To Stretch A Dollar Which Is Earned In The Hard Way

(By Edna Jacques)

A farm woman is the best dollar stretcher in the world. She can make money work harder than anyone we've ever known. She trains her dollars like seals to sit up and eat from her hand . . . and when she goes to town Saturday night, she comes home with the back seat of the car piled with enough groceries to do for a week.

Her butter and egg money has been the salvation of her family many a time, and with a few turkeys to help out her earnings, she can fairly lift the farm by the strings and set it on the highway to prosperity.

Her money means more to her because she earns it the hard way, and when she spends it, she wants to get value for every dime in her pocketbook.

Now—more than ever—she's watching her dollars. For her plan for the future not only takes in her household, but probably goes thousands of miles across the sea to Italy or France and takes in a sweating steel-helmeted kid she'd hardly recognize as her son.

It's HIS future she's planning now . . . when he comes home and wants to get a farm and a little new house of his own . . . with modern heating and plumbing . . . a sun porch . . . a sunny yard fenced in, where children will be safe and clean.

There are 733,000 rural women in Canada—a great army of perhaps the staunchest, steadiest souls in all the length and breadth of the land. Feeding chickens, milking cows, maybe making the hay, making bread, taking care of gardens, washing, ironing and sewing, doing a wonderful job at price watching, checking up old grocery slips, buying only what is needed . . . the farm woman makes her contribution to the security of her home and the stability of the nation.

Saving her dimes and quarters and when she gets enough buying a bond for the future. That's the big thing now . . . the future. The future when she'll be able to have electricity and gadgets to take the drudgery out of work . . . the future when the train stops at the "home" station and Bob hurries himself down the dusty steps in a land where the economy has been kept on an even keel—a land where a dollar will buy a dollar's worth of goods.

His Own Design

War Workers Built Vehicle Being Used By General Montgomery

General Montgomery's "Invasion Charlie" was built for him by six war workers who gave up their spare time to do it, without payment. It is not luxurious, resembling a motor-driven horse box. Monty designed it. One of the two bedrooms, a bedroom, has a tip-up bunk bed, a portable table, field wash basin, storage for books and clothes and a wire mesh reinforced window. The other room can be quickly converted into a lounge or an officers' conference room. It is fitted with a writing desk, map holders and a dining table. The legs of the table are fitted into slots in the floor, so that, even while travelling, the table will remain steady. The vehicle contains 23 lights and is fitted with a radio, says the London Daily Herald.

SIX FRIENDSHIPS

Confucius said there are three friendships which are advantageous and three which are injurious. Friendship with the upright, friendship with the man of much observation; these are advantages. Friendship with the man of specious airs, friendship with the insinuating soft, and friendship with the glib-tongued; these are injurious.

WILL SUPPLY NEED

As bananas form a useful addition to the diet of children suffering from coeliac disease, arrangements are being made by the British minister of food to import enough bananas in dried form to provide all needed supplies for this purpose.

TOOK SIGN LITERALLY

A British officer who stopped at a "help yourself" vehicle dump in Normandy to hunt for a part of his damaged jeep returned a half hour later and found that some one else taking the sign literally, had stripped his vehicle to its chassis.

The Pueblo Indians of the New Mexico own their lands by virtue of titles granted by the Spanish crown.

New Commander



Lieut-Gen. M. C. Dempsey who was named commander of the British 2nd army on June 28. He is 47 years old, was a Lieut-Col. at the outbreak of war, served in the campaign in France and Belgium, and commanded the famous 13th corps of the British Eighth Army in North Africa, Sicily and Italy.

Better Farm Homes

Need For Rural Housing In Canada After The War

The acute need for better rural housing that will face farm families in Canada immediately after the war will be a war-aggravated need, writes Frank Shefrin, Economics Division, Dominion Department of Agriculture. Studies of the standards of Canadian farm homes have indicated that the vast majority of farm families live in houses that cannot be considered adequate according to any minimum standard. Farm houses are beyond repair and replacements are necessary; many need structural improvements and major repairs; many are seriously overcrowded, and most of them lack the most primitive plumbing facilities, and even running water.

An inquiry into farm housing conditions, at the level of facts and figures, is a story of great human need. For the first time, observes Mr. Shefrin, in the tabling in the House of Commons, Ottawa, of the final report of the sub-committee on housing and community planning, is given a report on housing and community planning which does not deal only with the shelter problem of urban dwellers but makes specific recommendations, including proposals for government assistance, designed to raise substantially the standard of farm housing. Government assistance in the building of farm homes may be a new concept in Canada, but in the period between the two wars, Britain, France, Latvia, the Netherlands, Poland, Sweden, Czechoslovakia and Yugoslavia took steps to improve the housing standard of their rural population, farmers and farm laborers alike.

The sub-committee has made specific recommendations. It stated that at least 125,000 new farm buildings were required—of these 100,000 for replacement and 25,000 to provide separate units for families forced to double-up. This figure would have to be revised if an acreage in land settlement is contemplated. In addition 188,000 buildings are in need of external repairs. This takes no account of the internal conditions and facilities of farm homes. It is recommended that nearly 100,000 homes be built in the first ten years following the peace—at the rate of 5,000 to 15,000 houses per year. Provisions are to be made for this building program in a re-drafted national housing act which will include a special section on farm housing which will recognize the need for cottages for farm laborers.

STUDIED BIRD METHOD

The French aviator pioneer, Clement Ader, tried to learn the secrets of flying from watching bats and eagles at the Paris zoo, and even journeyed to Arabia to study the flight of buzzards, the world's most expert gliders.

ATTRACTS ATTENTION

Halcyon House in the Georgetown section of Washington, D.C., attracts the eye of nearly every passerby. Built in 1709 by Benjamin Stoddard, first secretary of the navy, trees grow out of its walls.

ACCURATE CLOCKS

Probably the most accurate clocks in the world are two at Greenwich Observatory in England. Each is checked every 30 seconds by a pendulum swinging in a vacuum.

Scientists have discovered, with the aid of a high-speed camera, that lightning flashes "bounce back and forth" between the same points of cloud and ground as many as 10 times.

War Passed This Way—But Canucks Have Their Fun



Two Canadians of a field engineering company stop to chat with a delivery boy in a liberated village in Normandy. The important stronghold of Caen has now been captured.

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7 OUT OF 8
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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

Dude Sheriff

By TOM DOBSON

McClure Newspaper Syndicate

Old Sheriff Hearty was hopping mad. Outside, the mid-morning Panhandle sun was boosting the temperature with its steady scorching smiles, but he didn't notice it; the redness of his broad leathery face was caused by a different fire—blazing righteous indignation. He flung the newspaper down and plumped into an office chair. From the door the galling article leaped up at him: "With the conversion of the Circle R ranch into a dude farm," it said, "smokehouse becomes primarily a dude town instead of a cow town. As such it is fitting that certain changes be made. Among the first to conform should be the sheriff. It would increase the western atmosphere of the town considerably if he should replace his single shoulder-holstered gun with twin pearl-handled six-guns, carried in fancy leatherwork belts; he could then greet the incoming visitors effectively. An appropriate welcome speech could be worked out, possibly including an amusing anecdote of his experience in the 'Old West.' Another improvement should be..."

"Danged meddling fool!" muttered Hearty. "Reckon they'd like me to tell about the time I shot an ear off Spider Lopez and then sent him, as ornery a coyote as ever rode the Panhandle, away to the state pen for twenty years, crying and swearing revenge with every breath he took. Only that wouldn't be good enough for them," he snorted. "They'd want me to shoot off both his ears!"

Abruptly he scooped the paper from the floor and stalked out. He'd tell that smart aleck of a thing or two. Just outside the door he almost bumped into his quarry.

"Good morning, Old-Timer," greeted the youngster, and added, "that's your new name. Old-Timer! Picturesque hey?"

"Pictureque be hangad," the old man exploded. "Look here, you..."

"Uh-huh," the newspaper man interrupted. "I know just what you're going to say. You liked the write-up in the paper. And the reason you did is because we both want to see you re-elected sheriff when your term's up. Like to put my paper behind you. And I think I can, too, because I know you realize there's been a new deal around here; no more cattle ranches for this county, only dude farms. Of course the dude ranchers are going to want you to continue as sheriff just as long as you enter into the new spirit of things."

"But..."

"Let's step back into your office; I've brought along some things for you to try on."

When the newsman left half an hour later the sheriff sank once again into his comfortable armchair. A brace of shiny new pearl-handled pistols decorated his ample midsection, and his huge lips puckered out like those of a sulking schoolboy as he contemplated the railroad time-table before him.

When the first train of the afternoon rolled to a stop beside the tiny station platform he and his sta-

deputy were on hand to greet it. Disembarking were as odd an assortment of tenderfoot as ever haunted a cowboy's dreams. Every stage of cowboy dress was represented, from expensive Hollywood versions to levis and work shirts. One swarthy-faced little old man with long black hair even sported a beret.

"Yellow wearers," the sheriff barked unthinkingly, "I, as sheriff of Smokehouse, welcome you to one of the last of the towns of the 'Old West.' We have..."

He fumbled with a piece of paper in his hand. "...we have here perhaps one of the most picturesque heritages of the entire cattle country."

The little dried-up fellow in the beret was watching him closely now. Probably he was a professor of some kind—maybe a foreigner. Those are fine guns you have there, Sheriff. "Why certainly, pardner," the sheriff's good-natured voice boomed. "That gun is mighty like the one I used to capture one of the meanest bandits that ever plagued the West twenty years ago... Spider Lopez."

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"Then, Senor Sheriff, you will not be surprised that Lopez has come back to settle his account with you?"

The words hissed from the little man's thin lips. The sheriff's startled gasp flashed up... and right into the muzzle of his own gun!

"Yes. It is I, Lopez," continued the other. "For twenty years I've waited for this day. Quick, your other gun, drop it on the platform!"

The sheriff moved forward. Awkwardly the little Mexican jerked up the gun. The crowd fanned backward. It was the break the old lawman wanted. Instantly like the unrolling streak of a badlands rattler, his tanned hand flicked forward. Smashed down on Lopez's gun hand.

The pearl-handled weapon spun, and over it to land a dozen feet away. Quickly Hearty followed up. A heavy blow threw the bandit off balance and then the deputy was upon him, clamping handcuffs to his wrists.

After the deputy had taken Lopez down and chained him down and boarded their ranch-bound bus, the sheriff finished his welcome speech, "...and when I captured Spider Lopez twenty years ago, I was forced to shoot off both his ears!"

He headed back for the jail, his old cheeks aglow with the satisfaction of a job well done. "Twenty years in that place must have made Lopez a mite stir-simple," he mumbled. "Just imagine him thinking I'd go and maul up them pretty new pearl-handled guns by putting bullets in 'em!"

Quite Definitely

German Naval Officer Says Hitler's Navy Has Been Sunk

Rear-Admiral Richard Gadow, retired German naval officer who is described as the principal spokesman for Hitler's navy, has effectively answered a question as to the whereabouts of his country's U-boats and heavy warships. "They are at the bottom of the sea," he stated.

The submarine arm was effectively defeated in 1943 "when technical defenses of the enemy put an end to our achievements." The admiral did not refer particularly to what had happened to the surface forces, but perhaps Germany never counted very much on them anyway.

So now that the German navy has thus been effectively disposed of, it is high time that a retired air marshal, with or without Hermann Goering's blessing, should tell us what has become of the Luftwaffe—Montreal Gazette.

The Aleutian islands take their name from a Russian word meaning bold rock.

Sacrificed His Life

Indian Officer Saved Lives Of Comrades By Heroic Act

An Indian officer who flung himself on a mine that was about to explode in order to save the lives of six comrades is the first Indian to win the George Cross.

Subedar Subramanian, of the Madras Sappers and Miners, was in charge of a mine clearing company which had been ordered to search for a missing jamadar who was believed to have walked into a mine-field near Migan, Italy. Subramanian was operating the mine detector when a small explosion occurred.

Realizing that someone had trodden on an anti-personnel mine, and that within four seconds the canister would be blown into the air and explode, he rushed towards the slight hesitation towards the mine and flung himself on the top of it at the same time trying to knock his comrades aside. The force of the explosion was largely neutralized by the subedar's body and six lives were saved as a result. The subedar was killed.

Subedar Subramanian has now been awarded the George Cross posthumously for "conspicuous gallantry in performing hazardous work in a very brave manner." He had already won the Indian Distinguished Service Medal in North Africa in 1943—Indian Information Office.

Has Been Real Home

Beaver Club In London Means Much To Canadian Soldiers

The big, tough Canadian soldier who may have given his mother a good many headaches in his time, does a lot of thinking about that same little woman when he is over there, thousands of miles away from home. The Beaver club in London, just off Piccadilly, can prove that.

Last year before Mother's Day, Canadian servicemen sent more than \$11,000 worth of cables home, and that's a lot of love and good wishes at reduced cable rates. This Christmas they spent more than \$12,000 for cables home, most of them addressed to mothers.

There's something about the Beaver club that sets men thinking about home. The lounges are big and friendly and the men usually meet someone from their own home town. In the reading room there are newspapers from more than 80 Canadian towns and cities and no one who hasn't been overseas can know what a hometown paper means.

When the club celebrated its anniversary of its founding, the King and Queen came to call and to say that they knew what the big cheer centre has meant to men away from home, since it opened its door Feb. 19, 1940. The institution, partially financed by Canadian Y.M.C.A., is supported and engineered by a board of Canadian directors in London.

VALUES GIFT

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Food For Britain

New Canadian Contribution To Supplies Of United Kingdom Has Been Announced

An immense new Canadian contribution to the food supplies of the United Kingdom was announced by Agriculture Minister Gardiner, who said Canada would ship a minimum 100,000,000 pounds of beef in 1944 and 1945 and as much additional supplies as were surplus in the dominion.

Already Canada is supplying the United Kingdom with food under two-year bacon, cheese and egg contracts. Mr. Gardiner estimated the beef shipments—which will be the equivalent of 250,000 cattle—might have a total value of \$30,000,000.

Prices established under the contract will mean a constant flow throughout the year for producers' sales of cattle.

Red and blue brand beef will be bought for export to an agreed quantity by the Canadian meat board on the basis of 25 cents below their respective ceilings as established for zones throughout Canada under prices board regulations. If further supplies are offered, they will be bought at the rate of 50 cents below the ceiling.

Lower quality beef will be bought at established rates at points further under the ceiling.

The minister said 55,000,000 pounds of beef already have been shipped under the agreement, although the contract has just been signed. Shipments made since last fall are being counted in the total.

He said that the export shipments would not be sufficient to require a resumption of meat rationing in the dominion. Canada now has 10,000,000 cattle, and former shipments to the United States on the basis of about 200,000 head annually were suspended in 1942.

Top shipments of cattle to the United Kingdom in pre-war years amounted to about 40,000 head.

Producing Penicillin

Plant In Montreal Is Now Making The Wonder Drug

The first building to be erected in the Dominion for the specific purpose of producing penicillin will be in full scale operation in the near future, officials announced in Montreal.

The plant, government owned but managed by Ayerst, McKenna and Harrison, Ltd., already is turning out the "wonder drug" but officials said it will not be operating at top production capacity for awhile, when a group of laboratories being erected on the outskirts of the city are fully completed.

Bombers Improved

Britain's Typhoon Carries Double Load Of Medium Bomber

R.A.F. Typhoon fighter-bombers now carry a 1,000-pound bomb under each wing—twice their former load and more than double that of the medium bombers Britain was using at the start of the war—their ministry disclosed. After dropping its bombs the Typhoon can go in at 400 miles an hour with devastating fire from four 20-millimetre cannon.

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Victoria Cross Award For R.C.A.F. Hero

Ottawa, July 28.—The Victoria Cross has been awarded posthumously to F/Lt David E. "Bud" Hornell, 34-year-old Mimico, Ont. pilot, for his successful attack on a German submarine after his R.C.A.F. flying boat had been badly damaged by enemy cannon. The first V.C. award in this war to a member of the R.C.A.F. was announced today by Hon. C. G. Power, Minister of National Defence for Air.

Shot down in flames into icy waters of the North Atlantic near the rim of the Arctic Circle, F/Lt. Hornell and two other members of the crew perished later from exposure. Of the five flyers who survived 21 hours pitching about in a gale-lashed Arctic sea—soaked to the skin and numbed with cold—all received decorations.

LANDERYOU RESIGNS CIVIL SERVICE JOB

J. C. Landeryou, who was nominated on Saturday as Social Credit candidate for Lethbridge in the provincial general election on August 8, has resigned from his position as an inspector in Southern Alberta for the provincial highway traffic board. His resignation from that post was effective as from July 17.

Mr. Landeryou was the Social Credit M.P. for Calgary East from 1935 to 1940, and was appointed to his present job in the latter year. The only other member of the civil service who is a candidate is H. D. Carrigan, S.C. candidate in Edmonton, who formerly was secretary of the provincial post-war reconstruction committee.

A BRIGHT IDEA

"Ebel, I really think our boy will amount to something, after all."

"Don't you suppose I know it, Henry?"

"Yes, but for a lad of only nine to think of giving his cousin in the country violin lessons by mail, isn't it a sign of genius?"

ANTHRAX VICTIM NOW RECOVERING AT PROVOST HOSPITAL

Reports from Provost General Hospital, where five-year-old Darcy Roesky is suffering from anthrax, indicate the child will make a "complete recovery." Dr. A. Somerville, director of communicable diseases for Alberta, said he did not expect to hear anything more about the case.

Specimens taken from the girl "proved conclusively" she has anthrax, but injections of penicillin, newest "wonder drug," and anthrax serum flown from New York, apparently have defeated the rare disease.

HIGH U.S. OFFICER IS KILLED IN FRANCE

General Leley J. McNair, of the U.S. Army, has been killed as the result of enemy fire in Normandy. McNair only recently was relieved of his command as chief of the army ground force to take an assignment overseas. No details were given beyond the fact that he was killed by enemy fire "while observing the action of our front line units in the recent offensive."

McNair was the highest ranking American army officer and the fifth general to lose his life in the war to date.

QUICK SWITCH

A luckless private, weary and weebegone, ducked into a foxhole, barely in time to dodge a Jap barrage. Sitting there in mud and water to his waist, he waited dismally. "Oh-h-h, I wish I was a civilian!"

At this point he realized for the first time that he was sharing the shelter with another. Turning his head a bit he observed the insignia of a major on his companion's shoulder. Somewhat disconcerted, he added lamely, "I mean, sir, a post-war civilian!"—Quote.

Phthylsulfaiazole, a new sulfa drug rechristened sulfaiazole and said to be the most effective intestinal antiseptic yet discovered, is announced by the Bituminous Coal Institute. The compound will probably prove highly effective in the treatment of such infections as bacillary dysentery, judging from extensive laboratory tests made at the University of Texas Medical School. Even after prolonged periods of treatment, laboratory animals failed to show any evidence of toxic effects.

British Admiralty salvage crews are believed to have started repairs on the wrecked docks and harbor installations at Cherbourg.

Dairy Pool Take Over Tenth Alberta Plant

On Monday the Central Alberta Dairy Pool took over the Olds Creamery formerly operated for many years by A. A. Dunkley. This makes the tenth plant the C.A.D.P. is operating, and the new unit will shortly enable them to extend their service on the southern end of their territory. The creamery was damaged by fire on July 9 and is now working in temporary premises until rebuilding can be completed.

A. C. Dunkley, son of A. A. Dunkley, the former proprietor, who has been working with his father for some time, will manage the creamery and the same staff will be retained. Mr. A. A. Dunkley will take things a bit easier for the present at least.

AGAINST MONUMENT

The London Daily Mail reported from Stockholm the Germans have cancelled an order for hundreds of thousands of granite blocks which were to have been used in construction of a 1,000-foot-high victory monument designed by Adolf Hitler. The German construction firm Baggesellschaft sent an urgent cancellation of the order to a Swedish concern, the dispatch said.

The monument was said to have been designed by Hitler to be 2500 feet wide and 4200 feet long, dominating Berlin. It was to have commemorated the "total defeat of the Allies."

LORD GORT GETS PALESTINE POST

London—Field Marshal Viscount Gort, 58, commander of the British field forces during the early months of the war, has been appointed High Commissioner and Commander-in-Chief in Palestine. Lord Gort is Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Malta, and also will become High Commissioner for Trans-Jordan on September 9, succeeding Sir Harold MacMichael, who has been High Commissioner in Palestine since 1938.

TOLD TO BUY FUEL

Extreme shortage of manpower at Alberta's mines is the fact in fewer mines are expected to be in operation, may result in a coal shortage in the province next winter, O. S. Longman, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, said in Edmonton on July 6. Members of the agricultural field staff have been instructed to advise farmers in rural areas to obtain their fuel well in advance.

SENATOR BOUCHARD TO CONTINUE FIGHT

Senator T. D. Bouchard, who lost his \$18,000-a-year job as chairman of the Quebec Hydro Commission, after attacking the Order of Jacques Currier which he accused of plotting for an independent French-Canadian state in Canada, said he is going to continue his "fight against the order." Senator Bouchard made his statement in an editorial in his weekly St. Hyacinthe (Que.) newspaper Le Clarion.

BASEBALL STANDINGS

National League	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	69	28	.723
Cincinnati	53	43	.558
Pittsburgh	50	40	.558
New York	46	50	.479
Chicago	42	47	.472
Boston	39	56	.411
Philadelphia	37	55	.402
Brooklyn	38	57	.400

American League	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	58	42	.580
Boston	52	45	.536
New York	50	45	.526
Cleveland	50	49	.505
Detroit	48	50	.490
Chicago	46	48	.489
Philadelphia	43	55	.439
Washington	43	55	.433

Coupon Calendar

Valid—
Thursday, August 3—
Sugar coupons 38 and 39.
Preserve coupons 25 and 26.
Thursday, August 10—
Butter coupons 72 and 73.
Tea-coffee coupons T-38.
Thursday, August 24—
Butter coupons 74 and 75.
Tea-coffee coupons T-39.
Thursday, August 31—
Sugar coupons 40 and 41.
Preserve coupons 27 and 28.
Expire, August 31—
Butter coupons 70, 71, 72 and 73.

WOMEN'S GOWNS HAVE NEW TRIM

Canada is still cutting the garment to fit the cloth. Victory tailoring has been designed to save materials—not only on dresses, but on nightgowns, house coats, skirts, blouses, and many other garments.

Material which made 108 women's nightgowns before the war now makes 165 nightgowns. There is a saving of two yards in each wartime house coat of a yard in the manufacture of every blouse in Canada—skirts are economy-cut to save three-eighths of a yard of material.

Saving material also saves manpower and machine hours, all of which are needed to help end the war which made these restrictions necessary.

COUNCIL MEETINGS

The regular monthly meeting of the Village Council will be held in the FIRE HALL on the First Monday of each month commencing at 8:00 p. m.

WE REG TO ANNOUNCE

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TWO ELECTROCUTED IN CALGARY MONDAY

Two Calgarians were electrocuted in East Calgary on Monday afternoon—one when he went to the assistance of the other lying across Saturday's storm. The dead are Howard James Boyd, a wiper at Albyn Shop, and Steve Boyko, 54, an employee for the Calgary School Board.

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During my four years in the Legislature as member of the Independent opposition, I did my best to keep the needs of the Province to the fore — To protect it when Government Legislation was introduced which I did not think was in the best interests of the people.

I am prepared to stand by my record and it is on this record that I again ask your support at the polls on August 8th.

Don't Gamble With Your Vote !

VOTE 1 FOR FRANK LAUT

Backward or Forward Which ?

"It must be realized that, unless we use our brains and make proper plans, all the evils that followed the last war will return, immensely enlarged, after this one. For this war will increase the tempo of production even more than the last one did, and we have only to allow ourselves to be humbugged again by 'sound orthodox finance' and those 'well-tryed' Conservative principles' to find ourselves in a nightmare of unemployment, dwindling trade, poverty amid plenty.

— "Out of the People," by J. B. FRIESTLEY.

VOTE 1 FOR

ARTHUR H. WRAY Social Credit Government Candidate Banff-Cochrane Constituency

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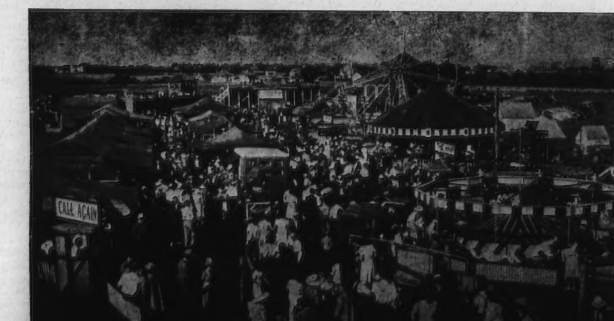
\$1100 in Cash Prizes for Exhibitors. \$560 in Sport Prizes

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11

Annual Old Timers Re-Union
Dairy Calf Club Judging
1.30 p.m. First Games of Fastball
Shetland Pony Race
3.30 p.m. Fastball
4. p.m. Kiddies Races, all ages
Local Pony Race
6.30 p.m. Finals of Fastball
Dance at Night in the Arena Hall
Music by 11 piece R.A.F. Band

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

Judging of Stock and Exhibits
2 p.m. Official Opening
2.30 p.m. Wrestling on Horseback
3.30 p.m. Jallopy Race
3.30 p.m. Horse Pulling Contest
5.00 p.m. Jallopy Race
Grand Stock Parade
8.00 p.m. Finals of Jallopy Races
Dance at Night in the Arena Hall
Music by 11 piece R. A. F. Band



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